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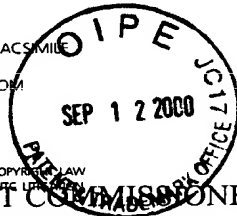
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Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

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Our check in the amount of \$-0- is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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SIR:

Responsive to the Office Communication dated August 22, 2000, Applicants point out that two copies of the computer-readable Sequence Listing have been filed on April 20, 2000 and July 7, 2000. However, to avoid any further delay, Applicants provide herewith a copy of the computer-readable Sequence Listing from Applicants filed. Applicants further submit that the sequence information recorded in the corresponding computer-readable Sequence Listing is identical to the paper copy of the Sequence Listing filed April 20, 2000. In the event that the Office still has problems reading the computer-readable Sequence Listing, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner contact the undersigned Applicants representative directly to resolve this matter expediently.

Applicants submit that the present application is now for examination on the merits.  
Early notice of such action is earnestly solicited.

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